

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO *ex rel.* )  
State Engineer, )  
Plaintiff, ) 07941  
v. ) 69cv07941 - JEC - ACE  
ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*, )  
Defendants. ) RIO CHAMA Stream System  
Section 5, Rio Gallina Subsection

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**ORDER GRANTING UNITED STATES' MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

THIS MATTER is before the Special Master on the United States' Motion for a Sixty Day Extension of Time, filed Nov. 19, 2001 (Docket No. *le 173*). The United States requests the extension until February 4, 2002 to file claims for federal non-Indian water rights. Counsel for the State of New Mexico and several acequia associations do not object.

Being fully advised in the premises, I find the motion is well taken and should be GRANTED.

IT IS ORDERED, THEREFORE, that federal non-Indian water rights claims in Section 3 shall be filed on or before February 4, 2002.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE LIST FOR  
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CV 7941 SC**

I hereby certify that on this 28th day of November, 2001, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **UNITED STATES' MOTION FOR A SIXTY DAY EXTENSION OF TIME** was served by United States mail to all counsel on the following list.

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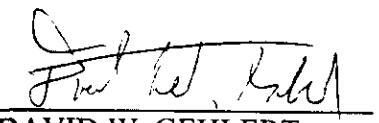
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